



Traffic Wrecks Cost State \$2.7B Annually

Group Works To Make Streets Safer

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LAS VEGAS -- A new report says that 40 of the state's deadliest roads and intersections are in southern Nevada.

According to a report by The Road Information Program, or TRIP, wrecks costs Nevadans \$2.7 billion in repairs, lost wages and other costs annually.

Officials said the only way to prevent those costs is to create safer roads.

"Drivers are inevitably going to make errors," TRIP representative Frank Moretti said. "(Drivers need to be) more forgiving on the roadways."

The research group suggested the state find more money to keep road projects on track, but it understands budget constraints.

For more information or to read the report, visit the [TRIP Web site](#).